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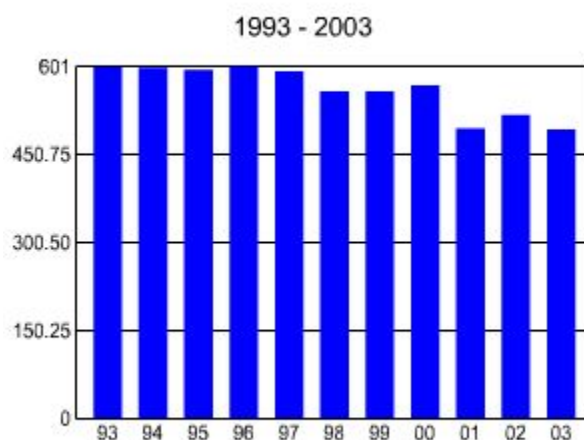
Puerto Rico

Toll Of Motor Vehicle Crashes, 2003

2003	Puerto Rico	US	Best State
Fatalities	493	42,643	
Fatality Rate per 100M VMT	2.64	1.48	0.83
Fatality Rate per 100K Population	12.71	14.66	7.18

2000 Economic Cost of Motor Vehicle Traffic Crashes	
Puerto Rico	\$ 3.126 Billion
US Total	\$ 230.568 Billion

TOTAL TRAFFIC FATALITIES



NHTSA's National Center for Statistics and Analysis 400 Seventh St., S.W., Washington, D.C. 20590

	Fatalities in Alcohol-Related Crashes, 2003			Passenger Vehicle Occupant Restraint Use Rates, 2003	
	Percentage \geq 0.01 BAC	Percentage \geq 0.08 BAC	Rate per 100 million VMT	Fatally Injured Occupants (Known Use Only)	Observed Use
Puerto Rico	47%	37%	1.25	38.8%	87%
US Total	40%	34%	0.59	43.2%	79%
Best State	15%	12%	0.19	63.2%	95%

Available NHTSA Financial Resources

Highway Safety Program Funds		
	FY 2003	FY 2004
Section 402 Formula	\$1,641,324	\$1,607,215
Section 154 Open Container Transfer	\$2,511,784	\$2,377,583
Section 164 Repeat Offender Transfer	\$2,511,784	\$2,377,583
Section 157 Safety Belt Use Incentive	\$291,800	\$630,557
Section 2003b Child Occupant Protection Education	\$79,573	Not Avail.
Section 157 Safety Belt Use Innovative	\$336,783	\$250,000
Section 411 Data	Not Avail.	Not Avail.
Section 163 .08 Blood Alcohol Concentration (BAC)	\$1,045,993	\$886,343
Section 405 Occupant Protection	\$390,699	\$385,675
Section 410 Impaired Driving	\$0	\$0
SAFETY TOTAL	\$8,809,740	\$8,514,956

DRUNK DRIVING — Status of Key Legislative Issues			
Administrative license revocation	No	Zero Tolerance for drivers under age 21	0.02 BAC
0.08 BA per se law	Yes	Graduated licensing	Yes
Qualifies for Section 410 Incentive Grant Program			No

SPEED	Number of Fatalities Involved in Speed Related Crashes, 2003	Percent of Fatal Crashes That Are Speed Related, 2003	Estimated Cost of All Speed Related Crashes, 2000
Puerto Rico	233	47%	\$83 Million
US Total	13,380	31%	\$40,390 Million
Best State		6%	\$44 Million

RESTRAINT USE (Safety Belts & Child Seats)	Passenger Vehicle Occupant Deaths (age 5+)				Current Lives Saved by Safety Belts	Additional Savable at 100%
	Total	Restrained	Unrestrained	Unknown		
Puerto Rico	258	100	158	0	94	30
<i>(Primary) All seats for occupants of motor vehicles - \$50 Fine</i>						

CHILD RESTRAINTS (Includes Child Seats & Belts)	Passenger Vehicle Occupant Deaths (age <5)				Current Lives Saved	Additional Savable at 100%
	Total	Restrained	Unrestrained	Unknown		
Puerto Rico	2	1	1	0	1	1
<i>Restraint required < 5 years old - \$100 Fine</i>						

MOTORCYCLES	Motorcycle Rider Deaths				Current Lives Saved by Helmets	Additional Savable at 100%
	Total	Helmeted	Unhelmeted	Unknown		
Puerto Rico	56	22	34	0	13	13
<i>07/20/60 Helmet use required for all riders.</i>						

Fatalities Relating to Roadway, Pedestrian and Large Trucks by State and US					
State	Roadway Departure Fatalities*	Intersection Fatalities*	Pedestrian Fatalities	Fatalities in Crashes Involving Large Trucks	Total Fatalities
Puerto Rico	247	42	150	27	493
Percent of Total Killed	50.1%	8.5%	30.4%	5.5%	
US Total	25,321	9,213	4,749	4,986	42,643
Percent of US Total Killed	59.4%	21.6%	11.1%	11.7%	
*Fatalities based on FHWA Definition					

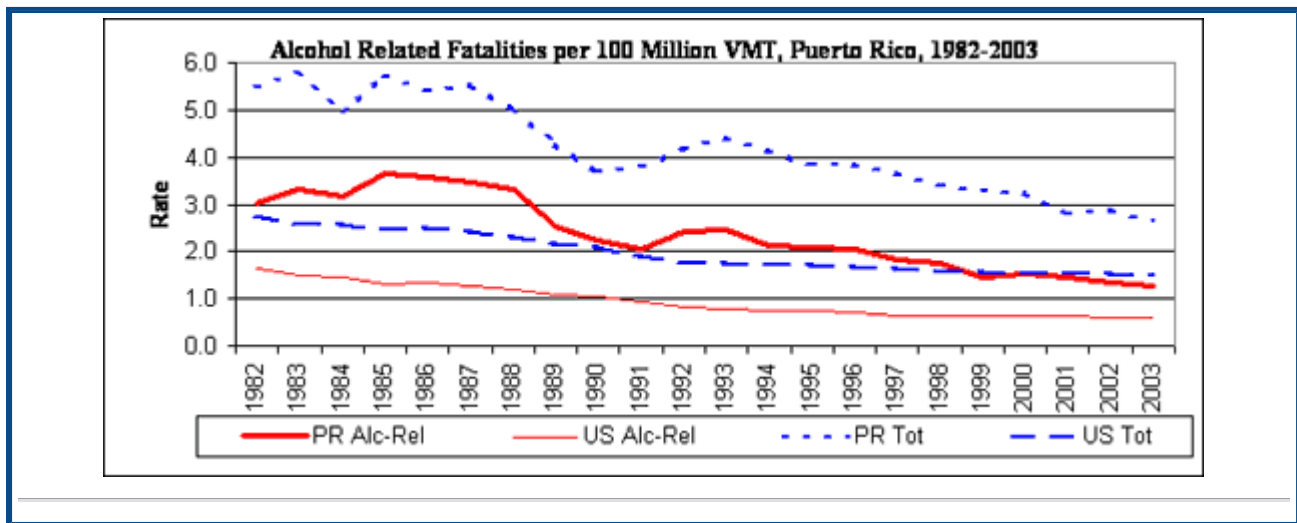
Person Killed by Person Type and Vehicle Type, by State, US and Best State							
State	Person Type						Total Killed
	Occupants by Vehicle Type				Motorcycle Riders	Nonmotorists	
	Passenger Cars	Light Trucks	*Other/Unknown	Total Occupants		**Total Nonmotorists	
Puerto Rico	212	52	6	270	56	167	493
Percent of Total Killed	43.0%	10.5%	1.2%	54.8%	11.4%	33.9%	
US Total	19,460	12,444	1,567	33,471	3,661	5,511	42,643
Percent of US Total Killed	45.6%	29.2%	3.7%	78.5%	8.6%	12.9%	
*Other/Unkown include Occupants of Large Trucks, Buses and Other Unkown Vehicle Types							
** Total Non Motorists include Pedestrians, Pedalcyclists and Other Non Motorists							

Alcohol Related Fatalities by County



Source: National Center for Statistics and Analysis, 2001 FARS Annual Report File

PUERTO RICO Fatalities and Fatality Rate per 100 Million VMT						Change in Alcohol Related Rates over time, PUERTO RICO vs. US		
Year	Fatalities			Fatality Rate		Time Period	PUERTO RICO	US
	Tot	Alc- Rel	%	Tot	Alc- Rel			
1982	480	267	56	5.46	3.03	1982 to 2003	-59%	-64%
1983	514	294	57	5.81	3.32	Last 10 years	-49%	-24%
1984	545	349	64	4.92	3.15	Last 5 years	-29%	-6%
1985	600	383	64	5.74	3.66	Last 3 Years	-18%	-6%
1986	592	392	66	5.4	3.58	Last 1 Year	-6%	-3%
1987	614	383	62	5.53	3.45			
1988	585	384	66	5.03	3.3			
1989	543	321	59	4.27	2.52			
1990	473	285	60	3.68	2.22			
1991	495	267	54	3.8	2.05			
1992	571	333	58	4.18	2.44			
1993	600	337	56	4.39	2.47			
1994	598	308	52	4.14	2.13			
1995	595	327	55	3.83	2.1			
1996	601	322	54	3.83	2.05			
1997	592	293	49	3.66	1.81			
1998	558	291	52	3.38	1.76			
1999	558	249	45	3.28	1.47			
2000	568	268	47	3.23	1.53			
2001	495	256	52	2.78	1.44			
2002	518	241	47	2.86	1.33			
2003	493	233	47	2.64	1.25			
Source: 1982-2002 (Final) FARS Files and 2003 FARS Annual Report File, FHWA's Highway Statistics Annual Series								



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